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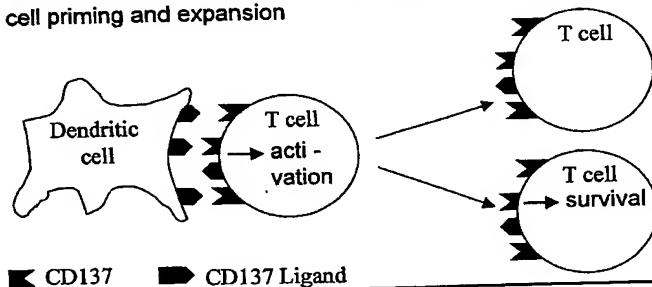
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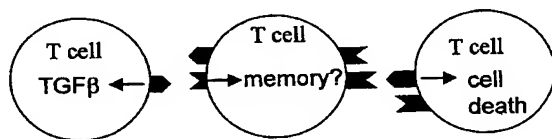
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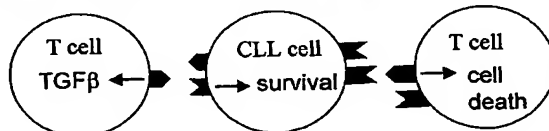
Normal situation in early immune response:
T cell priming and expansion



Normal situation in late immune response
Deletion of superfluous T cells



Pathologic situation in CLL:
Subversion of anti-CLL immune response



(57) Abstract: The present invention relates to the therapy of tumors through neutralisation of CD137 or inhibition of CD137 expression of CD137 antagonising molecules. Furthermore, the present invention provides the use of CD137 or agonistic anti-CD307 ligand antibodies for the treatment of conditions characterised by overactive immune reactions.



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